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AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 22d of *April* 1796,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Twenty-ſixth Day of December, 1792, to promiſe and declare, that the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, fit for His Majeſty's Service, ſhould be paid in the Manner thereby directed to every ſuch Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who ſhould, on or before the Twenty-eighth Day of February then following, enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Ships or Veſſels, or Officers employed on Shore for raiſing Men for the Service of the Royal Navy: And whereas His Majeſty was alſo graciouſly pleaſed, by his ſaid Proclamation, to declare, that all Able-bodied Landmen, not above the Age of Thirty-five nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who ſhould ſo enter themſelves as aforeſaid, ſhould receive the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man, as His Majeſty's Royal Bounty: And whereas His Majeſty was alſo graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Sixteenth Day of the ſaid Month of February, 1793, to promiſe and declare, that a Reward of Twenty Shillings for every Able and Ordinary Seaman, fit to ſerve on board His Majeſty's Ships, ſhould be paid to any Perſon who ſhould diſcover any Seamen or Seamen who might conceal him or themſelves, ſo that ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhould be taken for His Majeſty's Service, on or before the Thirtieth Day of April then next, by any of His Majeſty's Sea Officers appointed to raiſe Men on Shore, or by the Captains or Commanders of any of His Majeſty's Ships or Veſſels in the Ports or on the Coaſts of this Kingdom: And whereas the Time limited by the ſaid Proclamations for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Reward, hath been prolonged and extended to the Thirtieth Day of this inſtant April; and it being judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service that the ſaid Bounties and Reward ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; His Majeſty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Reward be prolonged and extended, from the ſaid Thirtieth Day of this inſtant April, to the Thirtieth Day of June next, incluſive: Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

Steph. Cottrell.

[Price Thirteen-pence Halfpenny.]

Weſtminſter, April 26.

THIS Day the Lords being met, a Meſſage was ſent to the Honourable Houſe of Commons by Mr. Quarme, the Yeoman Uſher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of His Majeſty's Commiſſion for declaring His Royal Aſſent to ſeveral Acts agreed upon by both Houſes, do deſire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable Houſe in the Houſe of Peers, to hear the Commiſſion read*; and the Commons being come thither, the ſaid Commiſſion, impowering the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and ſeveral other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Aſſent to the ſaid Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Aſſent given to

An Act for repealing certain Duties on Legacies and Shares of Perſonal Eſtates, and for granting other Duties thereon, in certain Caſes.

An Act to indemnify ſuch Perſons as have omitted to qualify themſelves for Offices and Employments; and to indemnify Juſtices of the Peace and others who have omitted to regiſter or deliver in their Qualifications within the Time limited by Law, and for giving further Time for thoſe Purpoſes; and to indemnify Members and Officers in Cities, Corporations and Borough Towns, whoſe Admiſſions have been omitted to be ſtamped according to Law, or, having been ſtamped, have been loſt or miſlaid, and for allowing them Time to provide Admiſſions duly ſtamped; to give further Time to ſuch Perſons as have omitted to make and file Affidavits of the Execution of Indentures of Clerks to Attornies and Solicitors; and for indemnifying Deputy Lieutenants and Officers of the Militia who have neglected to tranſmit Deſcriptions of their Qualifications to the Clerks of the Peace within the Time limited by Law, and for allowing further Time for that Purpoſe.

An Act to continue the Laws now in Force for regulating the Trade between the Subjects of His Majeſty's Dominions and the Inhabitants of the Territories belonging to the United States of America, ſo far as the ſame relate to the Trade and Commerce carried on between this Kingdom and the Inhabitants of the Countries belonging to the ſaid United States.

An Act for indemnifying all Perſons who have been concerned in adviſing or carrying into Execution an Order of His Majeſty in Council reſpecting the Exportation of Rock Salt; for preventing Suits in conſequence of the ſame; for authorizing His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation or carrying Coaſtwiſe of Rock Salt; and for making further Proviſions relative thereto.

An Act for making the Port of Scarborough, in the Iſland of Tobago, a free Port, under certain Regulations and Reſtrictions.

An Act to amend an Act, made in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, An Act for allowing Bounties, for a limited Time, on the Importation into Great Britain, of any Wheat, Wheat Flour, Indian Corn, Indian Meal or Rye, in Britiſh Ships or other Ships the Property of Perſons of any Kingdom or State in Amity with His Majeſty, or on the Delivery of the ſame out of Warehouſe for Home Conſumption.

An Act to amend an Act, made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, An Act for the more effectual Preſervation of the Game in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland; and for repealing and amending ſeveral of the Laws now in Being relative thereto.

An Act for the more effectual Execution of ſeveral Acts of Parliament, made for the Trials of controverted Elections or Returns of Members to ſerve in Parliament.

An Act to enable His Majeſty to grant to John Earl of Weſtmorland, his Heirs and Aſſigns, in Fee Simple, all the Eſtate, Right, Title and Intereſt remaining in His Majeſty in and upon the Hayes or Walks of Sulehay Fermes, and Shortwood and Morehay, in the Foreſt of Rockingham, in the County of Northampton, upon a full and adequate Conſideration to be paid for the ſame.

An Act to enable His Majeſty to grant to Henry Earl of Exeter, his Heirs and Aſſigns, in Fee Simple, all the Eſtate, Right, Title and Intereſt remaining in His Majeſty, in and upon the Hay or Walk of Weſthay, in the Foreſt of Rockingham, in the County of Northampton, upon a full and adequate Conſideration to be paid for the ſame.

An Act to enable His Majeſty to grant to George Finch Hatton, Eſquire, his Heirs and Aſſigns, in Fee Simple, all the Eſtate, Right, Title and Intereſt remaining in His Majeſty in and upon the Lawn of Benefield, and the Bailiwick of Rockingham, in the Foreſt of Rockingham in the County of Northampton, upon a full and adequate Conſideration to be paid for the ſame.

An Act to regulate the making and vending of Metal Buttons, and to prevent the Purchaſers thereof from being deceived in the real Quality of ſuch Buttons.

An Act for further continuing and amending the ſeveral Acts, paſſed for preventing the Frauds and Abuſes committed in the Admeaſurement of Coals within the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, and that Part of the Duchy of Lancaſter adjoining thereto, and the ſeveral Pariſhes of Saint Giles in the Fields and Saint Mary-le-bone, and ſuch Part of the Pariſh of Saint Andrew, Holborn, as lies in the County of Middleſex.

An Act for enabling the Commiſſioners for executing an Act, paſſed in the Thirty-firſt Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, An Act for widening, improving, regulating, paving, cleanſing and lighting the Streets, Lanes and other public Paſſages and Places within the King's Town of Maidſtone, in the County of Kent; for removing and preventing Incroachments, Obſtructions, Nuiſances and Annoyances therein; for better ſupplying the ſaid Town with Water; and for repairing the Highways within the Pariſh of Maidſtone, to raiſe a further Sum of Money for completing the Purpoſes of the ſaid Act.

An Act for rebuilding the Pariſh Church of Saint Paul, Covent-Garden, within the Liberty of Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, and the Veſtry-Rooms belonging thereto; for repairing and reinſtating the Iron Rails incloſing the Scite of the ſaid Church and the Gates leading thereto; and for making ſeveral Regulations relating to the ſaid Pariſh.

An Act for making and maintaining a Navigation from Morwellham Quay, in the Parish of Tavistock, in the County of Devon, to Tamerton Bridge, in the Parish of North Tamerton, in the County of Cornwall; and also a certain collateral Cut from Powlson Bridge, in the Parish of Lifton, in the said County of Devon, to Richgrove Mill, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, near to the Borough of Launceston, in the said County of Cornwall.

An Act for making and maintaining a navigable Canal from the Harbour of Aberdeen, in the Parish of Aberdeen, or Saint Nicholas, into the River Don, at or near the South End of the Bridge over the same, (adjacent to the Royal Burgh of Inverurie) in the Parish of Kintore, all within the County of Aberdeen, North Britain.

An Act to amend an Act of the Thirtieth Year of His present Majesty, for making and maintaining a navigable Canal from Merthyr Tidvile, to and through a Place called the Bank, near the Town of Cardiff, in the County of Glamorgan; and for extending the said Canal to a Place called the Lower Layer, below the said Town.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, passed in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act for making and maintaining a navigable Canal from the River Severn, at Shrewsbury, in the County of Salop, to the River Mersey, at or near Netherpool, in the County of Chester; and also for making and maintaining certain collateral Cuts from the said intended Canal; and for varying and altering certain Parts of the Whitchurch Line of the said Canal and collateral Cuts, and for extending the same from Franckton Common to Sherryman's Bridge, in the Parish of Whitchurch, in the said County of Salop; and for making and maintaining several other Branches and collateral Cuts to communicate therewith.

An Act to enable the Company of Proprietors of the Leominster Canal Navigation to finish and complete the same.

An Act for laying an additional Tax upon the Lands within the North Level, Part of the Great Level of the Fens called Bedford Level, and on Portsand, otherwise Great Porsand, in the County of Lincoln, for the further Support and Preservation of the principal Banks and Works of the said North Level.

An Act for dividing, allotting, inclosing, draining and preserving certain Commons and Waste Grounds, called the Hern Common and Gore Common, within the Manor and Parish of Ramsey, in the County of Huntingdon; and for repealing an Act, made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for draining and preserving certain Fen Lands and Low Grounds in the several Parishes of Ramsey, Bury, Wistow, Warboys, Farceitt, Standground, and Water Newton, in the County of Huntingdon, and of Doddington, in the Isle of Ely and County of Cambridge; and for making more effectual Provision for those Purposes.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of certain Acts of Parliament, made for repairing the several Roads in the Counties of Stafford, Worcester and Warwick, so far as relates to the Road leading from a Place called Streetway, in the County of Stafford, through Wolverhampton, to Wordsley Green Gate, and other Roads therein mentioned.

An Act for continuing and enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act, passed in the Seventh Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for repairing and widening several Roads leading to and from the Towns of Bala and Dolgelly, in the County of Merioneth, and other Roads therein mentioned in the Counties of Montgomery, Denbigh and Salop; and for repairing several other Roads in the Counties of Merioneth and Denbigh.

An Act for altering, widening, improving and keeping in Repair the Road leading from Macclesfield, by Broken Cross, to Congleton, all in the County Palatine of Chester.

And to Thirty Private Bills.

Admiralty-Office, April 26.

DISPATCHES, of which the following are Copies and Extract, have been received at this Office from Sir Edward Pellew, Bart.

Extract of a Letter from Sir Edward Pellew, Captain of His Majesty's Ship Indefatigable, to Mr. Nepean, dated at Falmouth, April 20, 1796.

I HAVE the Pleasure to inform their Lordships, that on the 13th Instant, at Four P. M. we fell in with, and gave general Chace to a French Frigate to Windward, the Revolutionnaire being far astern, was tacked by Signal to cut the Chace from the Shore; and I had the Pleasure to see her, just before Dark, in a Situation to weather the Enemy upon a different Board, which obliged her also to tack.

The Night setting in cloudy, we lost Sight of the Chace before Nine o'Clock, when she bore up, but not unobserved by that zealous and attentive Officer Captain Cole, who pursued and closed with her at half past Eleven; and not being able to prevail upon her Commander to surrender without Resistance, he opened a close and well-directed Fire upon her, which was faintly returned; and, after a second Broadside, the Enemy struck, and proved to be the National Frigate La Unité, from L'Orient to Rochfort, mounting 38 Guns, Twelve and Six Pounders, and manned with 255 Men, Eight or Nine of whom were slain, and Eleven or Twelve desperately wounded. La Revolutionnaire happily had no Men hurt; and it appears that she was manœuvered by Captain Cole in the most Officer-like Manner, and the Attack made with great Gallantry.

I have the Honor to inclose the Report which he has made of the good Conduct of his Officers and Ship's Company upon this Occasion; and, from the high Terms in which he speaks of his First Lieutenant Mr. Ellicott, who I know to be a good Officer, I have thought proper to give him an Order to command the Prize to England.

La Unité was reputed one of the greatest Sailers in the French Navy, and is a very fine Frigate, only Seven Years old.

The Wife of the Governor of the Port of Rochfort, Madame Le Large, and her Family, were on Board, who, with her Son, an Ensign of the Ship, I suffered to return to France in a Neutral Vessel, taking the Parole of the young Man not to serve until exchanged.

La Revolutionaire, at Sea, April 13, 1796.

SIR,

IT being so dark when I came alongside the French Frigate L'Unité that I could not observe the Conduct of the Two Ships, I beg leave to report to

you co-
ships, I beg

to you, that not being able to prevail upon her Commander, Citizen Durand, to ſurrender, after ſome Minutes Converſation, I opened a cloſe and well-directed Fire upon him. After we had ſuſtained the Fire of his Stern Chaſes ſome Time, and upon firing the ſecond Broadſide, he called out that he had ſtruck. I had at the ſame Moment directed the Helm to be put to Port, in order to board him, as the Ships were going under a Preſs of Sail at the Rate of Ten Knots, and drawing near the Shore.

Allow me, Sir, to expreſs to you how much I feel myſelf obliged to my Firſt Lieutenant Edward Ellicott, for his very particular Attention in keeping Sight of the Chace, and for his ſteady and manly Courage when cloſe engaged: The Chearfulneſs with which he put himſelf at the Head of the Boarders promiſed me the happieſt Succeſs, if that Event had been neceſſary, and which was only ſtopped by the Enemy's calling to ſurrender.

In this ſhort Conteſt the higheſt Praiſe is due to my Officers and Ship's Company, and the Effect of their ſteady Conduct is ſtriking in the Number of Killed and Wounded, of which a Liſt is annexed.

I cannot ſufficiently expreſs my own good Fortune in not having loſt an Officer or Man, which is to be attributed to the Enemy's firing at the Maſts and Rigging.

I am, &c.

FRA. COLE.

Sir Edward Pellew, Bart.
&c. &c. &c.

L'Unité, Citizen Durand, Commander.

Killed 9——Wounded 11.

Indefatigable, Falmouth, April 23, 1796.

SIR,

I Have moſt ſenſible Pleaſure in deſiring you to inform my Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty of my Arrival at this Port, accompanied by the French National Frigate La Virginie, of 44 Guns, Eighteen and Nine Pounders, and 340 Men, commanded by Citizen Bergeret, Capitaine de Vaiſſeau, who ſailed from Breſt ſingly, Four Days ago, to cruize off the Lizard in this favorite Frigate, which is conſidered the fineſt Ship and faſteſt Sailer in the French Navy, and of the largeſt Dimenſions, being 158 Feet long and 43 broad.

On Wedneſday Morning the 20th Inſtant, after I had ſealed my Diſpatches for their Lordſhips, laying-to under the Lizard, with the Squadron waiting for the French Frigate La Unité, our Prize, to weather that Point, I obſerved a Ship coming in from the Sea, which in my Mind looked rather ſuſpicious; and, on her not anſwering the private Signal, when ſhe tacked from us, I immediately gave Chace to her, accompanied by the Amazon and La Concorde, (having by Signal directed Le Revolutionnaire to attend her Prize into Port, and the Argo to proceed to Plymouth.) The ſuperior ſailing of the Indefatigable gave me the Satisfaction of coming up with her, after a Chace of Fifteen Hours, and running One Hundred and Sixty-eight Miles. Fortunately the Wind prevented her from ſteering for Uſhant, or ſhe muſt have eſcaped.

A little paſt Midnight I commenced Action with the Enemy, which was cloſely continued, under a crowded Sail, for One Hour and Forty-five Minutes. The Enemy, who fought gallantly, was by this Time much crippled, her Mizen-Maſt and Main-Top-Maſt being ſhot away; the Indefatigable was not much leſs diſabled, having loſt her Gaff and Mizen-Top-Maſt, the Main-Top-Sail was rendered uſeleſs by an unlucky Shot cutting both Leech-Ropes. In this Situation we paſſed the Enemy without the Power of avoiding it, having no After-Sail to back, and I had long diſcovered we had not only to combat a Ship of large Force, but that her Commander was completely Maſter of his Profeſſion, in whoſe Preſence I could not commit myſelf with Impunity, by throwing my Ship in the Wind, without ſubmitting to be raked by him.

She had not at this Time ſtruck, and we kept cloſe a-head of her, receiving new Braces to enable us to bring the Ship to, to renew the Attack.

At this Period La Concorde appeared in Sight, cloſe under her Stern; and, upon the Enemy ſeeing her, ſhe fired a Gun to Leeward, and ſtruck her Light, as a Signal of Surrender.

Although a very few Minutes would have placed the Indefatigable again alongſide of her, I am confident ſhe would not have ſurrendered without further Reſiſtance, had not the Concorde ſo timely come up.

I am extremely indebted to Captains Hunt and Reynolds, for their very particular Attention in keeping after us during the Night on ſo many Courſes, which nothing but the moſt delicate Obſervance of my Signals would have enabled them to do, their Diſtance aſtern being ſo great.

Their Lordſhips are well aware how difficult it is in a Night Action with a flying Enemy, whoſe Rate of ſailing is little inferior to her Antagoniſt, to chooſe a Situation; and, when it is remembered how often this Ship changed her's in the Action, I need ſcarcely ſay what great Attention was paid to my Orders by every Officer under my Command.

To Lieutenants Pellowe, Thomſon and Norway, my Thanks are above Expreſſion. Lieutenant Williams of the Marines, and Mr. Bell the Maſter, who were immediately about my Perſon, rendered me the utmoſt eſſential Services.—The Ship's Company, who have been my faithful Companions during the War, and are endeared to me by their uniform Exertions, manifeſted on this Occaſion nothing but Ardour and Zeal.

But above all other Pleaſures I feel is that of informing their Lordſhips that I have loſt neither Officer nor Man in the Conteſt. The Enemy ſuffered conſiderably, having 14 or 15 killed, 17 badly wounded, and 10 ſlightly: The Ship much ſhattered in her Hull, and Four Feet Water in her Hold from Shot Holes.

I have ſent La Concorde to Plymouth with La Virginie, and ſhall proceed with the Amazon, who has loſt her Head, for the ſame Place, To-morrow, in order to repair the Damages we have ſuſtained in the Action.

I am, &c.

EDW. PELLEW.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Murray, Commander in Chief of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels in North America, to Evan Nepean, Eſq; Secretary of the Admiralty.

ON the 11th Inſtant arrived L'Aurore, (French Corvette) Prize to His Majeſty's Ship Cleopatra. She had only Fifty Men on Board when taken.

Admiralty-Office, April 26, 1796.

Copy of a Letter from Commodore Sir John Borlaſe Warren, K. B. to Evan Nepean, Eſq; dated on Board His Majeſty's Ship La Pomone, at Sea, the 8th of April, 1796.

I Beg you will inform their Lordſhips, that, on the 7th Inſtant, Le Bec du Raz bearing N. E. by E. ſeveral Sail were ſeen in the N. E. Quarter; and, upon the Signal for a general Chace being made, it was ſoon perceived that they were a ſmall Convoy ſtanding through the Straits between the Saints and the Continent. As the Weather appeared ſettled and fine, I conſidered that it was a proper Opportunity to obtain a Knowledge of the Paſſage, and continued working through, with the Tide in our Favor, after them; but the Wind falling when we were in the Bay on the other Side, I found it was impoſſible to cut off the Brig who eſcorted them, as ſhe ſtood cloſe in towards Camaret Point, at the Entrance of the Goulet going up to Breſt, and among the Rocks. The Boats of the Squadron however captured the Veſſels in the incloſed Liſt, who are all laden with Corn and Flour. A Sloop belonging to the Convoy got off with the Corvette, which I underſtand was Le Voltigeur, of 16 Guns.

A Liſt of Veſſels belonging to the French Republic, captured by the Boats of the Squadron under the Command of Sir John Borlaſe Warren, K. B. within the Saints on the Coaſt of France, on the 7th of April, 1796.

A Brig, La Marie, of St. Maloes, 150 Tons, laden with Wheat—ſent to England.
A Brig, Name unknown, 100 Tons, laden with Flour—ditto.
A Brig, Name unknown, 120 Tons, laden with Wheat—ditto.
A Sloop, Name unknown, 70 Tons, laden with Wheat—ditto.
A Brig, Name unknown, 90 Tons, laden with Wood and Wine—ſcuttled and ſunk.

J. B. WARREN.

Admiralty-Office, April 26, 1796.

Extract of a Letter from Commodore Sir John Borlaſe Warren to Evan Nepean, Eſq; dated on Board His Majeſty's Ship La Pomone, off the Saints, the 16th of April, 1796.

I Beg you will inform their Lordſhips, that on the 15th Inſtant, at Eleven P. M. a Sail being diſcovered in the N. E. Quarter, I immediately gave Chace, and at Three A. M. I came up with her in this Ship: She proved to be La Robuſte Ship Corvette, mounting 22 Guns and 145 Men, juſt come from Breſt, bound to L'Orient.

The Squadron under my Command alſo captured a Brig loaded with Salt, from Croiſie, on the 13th Inſtant.

Commiſſions ſigned by His Majeſty for the Army in Ireland.

5th Regiment of Dragoons, Mr. William D'Arcey to be Cornet, vice Ridge, promoted. Dated February 29, 1796.
Mr. ——— Cox to be Cornet, vice Durie, promoted in the 27th Dragoons. Dated as above.
Mr. Charles Jones to be Cornet, vice Price, promoted in the 28th Dragoons. Dated as above.
9th Ditto, Quarter-Maſter David Weſt to be Cornet, vice Smoke, promoted in the 27th Dragoons. Dated as above.
24th Ditto, Quarter-Maſter Henry Gore to be Cornet, vice Mundy, promoted in the 3d Dragoons. Dated January 30, 1796.
89th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Taylor Perry, from the 26th Foot, to be Captain, vice Meredith, reſigned. Dated February 29, 1796.

Carlton-Houſe, April 5, 1796.

Office for managing the Affairs of His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales.

By ORDER of the EARL CHOLMONDELEY,

NOtice is hereby given, that every Creditor of His Royal Highneſs is to deliver into this Office within Ten Days from the Date hereof, a Particular, in Writing, containing the Nature and Amount of any Debt, ſigned by him or her, that may have accrued within the Quarter ending this Day; and all Debts or Demands, of what Nature or Kind ſoever, which ſhall not be preſented as aforeſaid, and within the Time limited as aforeſaid, are not, under any Pretence or Colour of Authority whatever, to be paid, ſatisfied or diſcharged, nor any Part thereof, but are barred both at Law and in Equity: And all Bonds, Bills, Notes, or other Securities for Money, given or made in Conſideration of any Debt or Demand, whereof the Particulars in Writing are not delivered as aforeſaid, are to all Intents and Purpoſes null and void.

See the Act of the 35th of His preſent Majeſty, for ſettling an Annuity on His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, and other Purpoſes, Cap. 129. Sec. 32.

Tim Brent, Secretary.

Whitehall, April 9, 1796.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that on the Night of Saturday the 13th of February laſt, between the Hours of Eleven and Twelve, ſome Perſon or Perſons wilfully and maliciouſly ſet Fire to a Barn belonging to Mr. John Fox, at Swineſleet, in the Pariſh of Witgift, in the Weſt Riding of the County of York; and that on the Night of the 14th of March laſt, ſome Perſon or Perſons wilfully and maliciouſly alſo ſet Fire to a Barn belonging to Mr. Richard Hardy, who is, together with the ſaid John Fox, an Overſeer of the Poor of the ſaid Pariſh.

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in ſetting Fire to the Barns aforeſaid, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Perſon or Perſons who actually ſet Fire to either of the above mentioned Barns,) who ſhall diſcover his or Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe or they may be convicted thereof. PORTLAND.

And whereas certain Threats of committing Acts of a ſimilar Nature have been circulated in Swineſleet aforeſaid, the Aſſociation for the proſecuting of Felons within the Townſhip of Buſeſleet, Witgift, Redneſs, Swineſleet, Gool and Hook, hereby offer a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Perſon or Perſons, except as before excepted, who ſhall give Information of the Perſon or Perſons ſetting Fire to both or either of ſuch Barns, to be paid upon Conviction of the Offender or Offenders, by Mr. Thomas Scholefield, of Howden, Attorney at Law.

Whitehall, April 14, 1796.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that, about the Hour of Three in the Morning of the 10th Inſtant, being the Time of High Water in the Rivir

River Thames, a Set of desperate Villains, supposed to be Four in Number, broke into the Dwelling-House of Mr. William Sawyer, Bargemaster to His Majesty, in Bishop's Walk, Lambeth, and, after rifling the House, most inhumanly murdered Mrs. Ann Sawyer, the Wife of the said William Sawyer, an aged and infirm Woman, by stabbing her in several Places, and beating out one of her Eyes:

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the above-mentioned inhuman Murder, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS *is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by*

Wm. Fox.

Whitehall, April 16, 1796.

WHereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that an incendiary Paper, of which the following is a Copy, has been circulated in different Parts of the County of Cornwall.

" Gentlemen of Camborne Church Town. This " is to inform you, that unless you do stand to the " agreement made Concerning the Butter and Meat, " that it shall be sold as we propoied (that is) Meat " of whatsoever kind shall not exceed 4d. per Pound, " nor fresh Butter 8d. per Pound, nor Salt Butter " 6d. per Pound, nor Salt Pork 6d. per Pound, " for if you do, we will take the Liberty to call to " see you again, for we have not given it up yet, " for we will have it so:—or we will burn the Town " and you in the Mits of it."

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and dispersing the incendiary Paper above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the said Paper) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

And, as a further Encouragement, His Majesty is hereby pleased to promise a Reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS *to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

PORTLAND.

Whitehall, April 23, 1796.

WHereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that on Wednesday last John Sheffield, a Corporal of the Worcestershire Regiment of Militia, was assaulted and beaten, whilst on Duty, by a riotous Body of Miners, about Three Miles from Truro, on the Turnpike Road leading from thence to Redruth:

His Majesty, for the better aprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so assaulting and beating the said Corporal, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who first assaulted and beat the said John Sheffield) who shall discover his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of FIFTY GUINEAS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, (except as before excepted) to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

PORTLAND.

And, as a still further Encouragement, a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid (except as before excepted) to be paid, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Cornwall.

Whitehall, April 25, 1796.

WHereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that an anonymous threatening Letter, of which the following is a Copy, was, on the 13th Instant, received by John Tottenham, Esq; Colonel-Commandant of the Royal Wakefield Volunteers, through the Post-Office of the said Town.

" Sir We think you are Goin to Behav that over hill
" to hus in keping the Money from hus But you ad to
" Beter Be wise in time we do not indend be eused
" in that Manar wat is the rison other have Got
" thars and we must not hav ours we Bleve that
" maney a Beter man have anged you may depend
" on it that we will Be revenged on you the first
" opertunetey you out to be Shot you are wors thenn
" hewayman for you take it privetly and avoyd the
" low But we shall wat till the next field day and
" if yow do not agree for us to have our money we
" shall not wat aney longer you ned not expety
" 100 of us at the field any more you shall be
" revued by yourselves and we will expose you to
" the ole we shall not wat till the revu so we wod
" have you to conseder in tim So no more from
" Yours We G."

Superscribed,

" For Mr. John totman Cornell in Wakefield
" Volenters in Mr. Polerd Yard with Speed."

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sending the Letter above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS *is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted) upon Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, to be paid by the Committee for managing the Affairs of the Royal Wakefield Volunteer Corps.*

Admiralty-Office, April 7, 1796.

NOtice is hereby given, that a Session of Over and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, on Saturday the 28th Day of May next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Evan Nepean.

HAIR POWDER CERTIFICATE TAX.

Stamp Office, Somerset Place, April 21, 1796.

HIS Majesty's Commissioners of this Revenue think it right to apprize ALL PERSONS, WHO, FROM USING HAIR-POWDER, ARE REQUIRED TO TAKE OUT CERTIFICATES FOR THAT PURPOSE, *but shall neglect to apply for them* ON OR BEFORE THE 30th INSTANT, *that* AFTER THAT DAY, *the Certificates will bear Date on the Days they shall be respectively issued, and consequently a*

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will attach upon every such Person, and the Commissioners will be under the Necessity, in case Informations are received, of instituting Prosecutions for the Recovery thereof.

By Order of the Commissioners,

John Brettell, *Sec.*

Navy-Office, April 16, 1796.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Tuesday the 3d of next Month, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's Yards at Deptford, Woolwich and Plymouth, with Canvas, agreeable to Patterns which may be seen at this Office.

Payment to be made in Navy Bills with the Discount added.

A Form of the Tender may be seen in the Lobby here.

No Tenders will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

Navy-Office, April 20, 1796.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 27th Instant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for building Nine Houses, within the Enclosure of Haslar Hospital, for the Use of the Governor and Officers, agreeable to Plans, Elevations and Sections, which, with a Draught of the Contract, may be seen at this Office.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, nor any noticed unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

Transport-Office, April 16, 1796.

THE Commissioners for conducting His Majesty's Transport Service, and for the Care and Custody of Prisoners of War, do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready, on Tuesday the 3d of May next, at their Office in Dorset-Square, Westminster, to receive sealed Tenders and treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for Victualling Prisoners of War in Health, for Six Months certain, at per Man per Diem, at the following Places, viz.

Portchester Prison, near Portsmouth; to commence 16th of May next.

Liverpool; to commence the 20th of May next.

And on Board the Hero Prison Ship in the River Medway; to commence the 1st of June next.

The Contractors will be required to find Security for the due Performance of their Contracts. Further Particulars may be known by applying at the Office of the said Commissioners, or to their Agents Mr. John Holmwood, at Portchester, Mr. John Foster, jun. at Liverpool, and Mr. Thomas Dyne, at Chatham.

The Tenders must be given in separately for each Place, and none will be received after One o'Clock on the Day of Treaty, nor any noticed unless the Parties, or Agents for them, attend.

SUGARS, GINGER *and* ALOES,

FOR Sale, by Order of the Honorable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long-Room at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 12th of May, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 Casks each.

H.	T.	B.	
35	2	—	Barbadoes.
31	6	—	Antigua.
16	4	—	St. Kitt's.
6	12	—	Montserrat.
12	3	3	Tortola.
—	—	23	Barbadoes Ginger.
—	—	1	Aloes.

The Samples to be viewed at Wycherley's Yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Wednesday the 11th and Thursday the 12th of May.

NOtice is hereby given, that an Account of the Sales of the Alexander, Le Formidable and Le Tigre, (taken on the 23d of June, 1795, by the Fleet under the Command of Admiral Lord Bridport,) together with the Account of Sale of the Head Money Bills arising from the said Captures, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

J. Hunt, J. Balmbrough, and S. Hemmans, } *Agents.*

London, April 19, 1796.

NOtice is hereby given, that an Account of Sales of the French Privateer L'Eleanore, taken by His Majesty's Sloop Ferret, Charles Elkins, Esq; Commander, on the 20th of November, 1795, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty.

Osborne Standert, James Sykes, } *Agents.*

NOtice is hereby given, that an Account of the Sale of the French Brig La Maria Agathe, the Laborieux French Privateer, and her Head Money Bill, with the Salvage arising from the Recapture of the Brigs Hamilton and Harriott by His Majesty's Ships L'Aimable and Juno, in the Month of April, 1793, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

J. Hunt, D. Webster, J. Wedderburns, G. Hartwell *and* H. Darby, *Agents.*

Portsmouth, April 21, 1796.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Melampus and Hebe, Sunflower Brig, Sprightly and Daphne Cutters, who were actually on Board on the 3d of July, 1795, at the Capture of La Vesuve, La Marie Louise, L'Abeille, La Bonne Foi, La Patrouille, L'Eonore and Le Pecheur, that an Account of Sales of the said Prizes will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeably to Act of Parliament.

J. P. Maxwell, John Penny, } *Agents.*

NOtice is hereby given that the Copartnerſhip carried on by and between Roger Holland, Thomas Dixon and Edward Holt, in the Dying Trade or Buſineſs, under the Firm of Dixon, Holt and Co. near Bolton in the County of Lancaſter, was, on the 8th Day of December laſt, by mutual Conſent, diſſolved, ſo far as the ſaid Edward Holt was concerned or intereſted therein; as witneſs our Hands the 7th Day of March, 1796.

Roger Holland.
Tho. Dixon.
Edward Holt.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip lately ſubſiſting between Robert Harvey Gedge, William Gedge and Joſeph Gedge, of Leiceſter-Square, Linen-Drapers, was diſſolved on the 1ſt Day of January laſt by mutual Conſent, the ſaid Robert Harvey Gedge retiring; the Buſineſs will in future be carried on by the ſaid William Gedge and Joſeph Gedge: Witneſs our Hands this 19th Day of April, 1796.

Robert Harvey Gedge.
William Gedge.
Joſeph Gedge.

THE Copartnerſhip lately carried on between William Wakeford and John Hammond in the Trades and Buſineſſes of a Plumber, Glazier and Painter, at Dartford in Kent, was diſſolved by mutual Conſent on the 25th Day of December laſt. Dartford, April 8, 1796.

Wm. Wakeford.
John Hammond.

An Heir at Law.

THE Heir at Law of John Snell, who died at Bury St. Edmund's in the County of Suffolk, ſome Time in or about the Month of February 1775, (Son of John Clark Snell, who was born and alſo died at Bury aforeſaid) by applying to Mr. Pretyman, at Wingfield Caſtle in the ſaid County, or to Meſſ. Browne and Taylor, Attornies, at Diſs in Norfolk, may hear of ſomething to his Advantage.

THE joint and ſeparate Creditors of John Peaſe and William Dent, late of Darlington in the County of Durham, Grocers, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, are deſired to meet at the Poſt Houſe in Darlington, in the County of Durham, on Monday the 19th Day of May next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to conſider of the Steps to be taken to further the making a Final Dividend of the Bankrupts Eſtate, and to that End to conſider of the Propriety of petitioning the Lord Chancellor to diſcharge the Order made in this Bankruptcy on the 7th Day of June, 1788, and to authorize the Aſſignees to diſcharge the Bill of Coſts and Fees of the late Solicitor under the Commiſſion: and further to authorize the ſaid Aſſignees to complete the Sale with the Repreſentatives of the Purchaſer of a ſmall Eſtate in the Pariſh of Darlington aforeſaid, Part of the Bankrupt William Dent's ſeparate Property, upon the Terms offered by ſuch Repreſentatives, or otherwiſe to conſider of and direct what Steps ſhall be taken in the ſeveral Matters aforeſaid; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

By Order of ſeveral of the Creditors,
THO. BOWES.

IF Joſeph, Robert and William Smith, Sons of Jonah Smith, formerly of Stroud, in Glouceſterſhire, Brazier, and Nephews of John Smith, late of Ozleworth in the ſame County, but laſt of Chadlington in Oxfordſhire, deceaſed, are now living, and will apply to Mr. Thomas Lewis, No. 12, Gray's-Inn, London, and Mr. Perry, of Wotton Underedge, Glouceſterſhire, they may receive conſiderable Legacies bequeathed to them by the Will of the ſaid John Smith; but which Legacies, if not claimed within Four Years after the Death of the ſaid Teſtator (and who has been now dead a Year and an Half) are given over to other Perſons; or if any Perſon who knows of the Reſidence or Death of any or either of the ſaid Legatees, will ſend Information thereof to the ſaid Mr. Lewis or Mr. Perry, ſuch Perſon ſhall be ſatisfied for his Trouble on the Occaſion.

They all left this Kingdom many Years ago, and are ſuppoſed to have gone to North America; and a Letter has been received from William Smith by his Uncle. Dated Quitivity, November 9, 1789.

PUrſuant to a Decree of His Majeſty's Court of Exchequer at Weſtminſter, made in a Cauſe Ingram and others againſt Ingram and others, the Creditors and Legatees of Samuel Ingram, late of St. Sidwells, in the County of the City of Exeter, Eſq; deceaſed, are forthwith to come in before Abel Moyſey, Eſq; Deputy Remembrancer of the ſaid Court, at the King's Remembrancer's Office in the Inner Temple, London, and prove their reſpective Debts and claim their reſpective Legacies, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Tempeſt againſt Surtees, the Creditors of Richard Wilſon, late of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, Brewer, deceaſed, are, on or before the 1ſt Day of June next, to come in and prove their Debts before John Ord, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Ladbroke againſt Ladbroke, the Creditors of Richard Ladbroke, Eſq; late of Tadworth Court in the County of Surry, Eſq; deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the Matter of Stephen Jermyn, Eſq; a Lunatic, the next of Kin of the ſaid Lunatic, (who was heretofore of Tottenham High Croſs, but late of Fulham in the County of Middleſex) at the Time of his Death, which happened in the Month of February now laſt paſt, or the Repreſentative or Repreſentatives of ſuch of them as may have ſince departed this Life, are forthwith to come before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, and prove their Kindred and Repreſentations, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Order.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Sweeting againſt Hobbs and others, the Creditors of Samuel Steare, late Maſter of Arts, Rector of Saint Udy in Cornwall, deceaſed, are, perſonally or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before William Weller Pepys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Sweeting againſt Hobbs and others, the Creditors of Richard Limbrey the younger, late of Furnival's Inn, London, Gentleman, deceaſed, are, perſonally or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before William Weller Pepys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Sweeting againſt Hobbs and others, the Creditors of Robert Steare, heretofore of Bridgwater in the County of Somerſet, Gentleman, deceaſed, are, perſonally or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts before William Weller Pepys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors of the Mr. William Wood, formerly of Barbers Hall, London, afterwards of Sydenham in Kent, and late of Kenſington in Middleſex, are deſired forthwith to ſend the Particulars of their Demands, together with a Statement of any Securities in their Poſſeſſion, to Meſſ. Gregg and Corfield, Skinners Hall; and all Perſons indebted to Mr. Wood, or who are in Poſſeſſion of any Effects belonging to him, are hereby required immediately to pay and deliver over the ſame to Meſſ. Gregg and Corfield, who are authorized by Mr. Wood's Truſtees and Executor to give a proper Diſcharge.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Denton, late of Wakefield in the County of York, Woolfactor, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet at the Great Black Bull, in Wakefield aforeſaid, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon of the 25th Day of May next, to take into Conſideration ſuch Meaſures as ſhall be thought neceſſary to compel the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of ſaid Bankrupt to account for all Monies by them received under the ſaid Commiſſion, and in whoſe Hands the ſame Monies have been placed, and whether any and what Intereſt or other Profit has been received or made thereof; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Ogle, Edward Ogle, and James Dawſon, of Billiter-Square in the City of London, Merchants, Ship-Brokers, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, (carrying on Trade under the Firm of James and Edward Ogle and Company) are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects on the 30th Day of April inſtant, at the Paul's Head Tavern in Cateaton-Street, London, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon preciſely, (by Adjournment from the Meeting of the 23d Inſtant, to determine upon the inſtituting a Suit in Equity for the Recovery or Adjuſtment of the Profits made at the Wharfs and Premiſes of the ſaid Bankrupts previous to the Sale thereof, and for the Settlement of other conteſted Claims and Demands in reſpect of the ſaid Wharfs and Premiſes, or upon the ſubmitting the ſame to be ſettled by Arbitration or any other Mode that may appear moſt beneficial for the Creditors; and to give the Aſſignees full Power and Authority in reſpect to the Adjuſtment of ſuch different Claims; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Stevens, late of Leadenhall-Street, in the City of London, Man's Mercer and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, are requeſted to meet John Gregory, one of the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 28th Day of April inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening preciſely, at the Ship Tavern, in Leadenhall-Street aforeſaid, to aſſent to or diſſent from his accepting the Compoſition of Seven Shillings and Six pence in the Pound on the Monies in the Hands of the other Aſſignee, belonging to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, and taking the Securities for the ſame propoſed to the other Creditors in Satisfaction thereof.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Fenton Robinſon, late of Gracechurch-Street in the City of London, but now of Turnham-Green, in the County of Middleſex, Woollen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 30th Day of April inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Mr. Blandford's Office, King's Bench Walks, Temple, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees ſelling and diſpoſing, by private Contract or otherwiſe, as they may think fit, of all or any Part of the Copyhold Eſtates which the ſaid Fenton Robinſon was entitled to at the Time of his Bankruptcy.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Caſhin, of London-Wall, in the City of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 30th Day of April inſtant, at Twelve at Noon, at John's Coffee-Houſe, Cornhill, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignee's commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Wright, of the New Road, in the Pariſh of St. Mary-le-Bonne, in the County of Middleſex, Coach-Maker, Dealer and Chapmen, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 3d Day of May next, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Hercules Tavern, Great Queen-Street, Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the ſaid County, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Samuel Robinſon, of Derby in the County of Derby, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 30th of April inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 18th Day of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Bell Inn in Derby aforeſaid; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Mordecai Levy, of George-Street, Black-Friars-Road in the County of Surrey, Leather-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Twenty-four Days, to be computed from the 23d of April inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 17th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt hath been awarded and iſſued forth againſt Chriſtopher Shaw and Thomas Shaw, both late of the Town and County of Southampton, Bankers, and they being declared Bankrupts accordingly, and the major Part of the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized having met, purſuant to Notice in the London Gazette, on the 19th and 20th Days of the preſent Month of April, for the Purpoſe of receiving Proofs of Debts, and for the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion; and the ſaid major Part of the ſaid Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, having duly attended to put the ſaid Commiſſion into Execution, it did appear to them that the Number of the Creditors who attended and offered to prove their Debts under the ſaid Commiſſion, was ſo great that many of them, whoſe Debts reſpectively amounted to Ten Pounds and upwards, could not prove their ſaid Debts, by which means they would have been precluded from voting in the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion; the major Part of the ſaid Commiſſioners, in order that a fair and equal Choice ſhould be made, did adjourn the Meeting for the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees, and the ſame is hereby adjourned to Tueſday the 3d Day of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Coach and Horſes Inn, Southampton, for the Choice of Aſſignees; when all Creditors, whoſe Debts amount to Ten Pounds and upwards, may attend and vote in the ſaid Choice and prove their Debts: And the major Part of the ſaid Commiſſioners will attend on Monday the 2d Day of the ſaid May, at the Time and Place aforeſaid, to receive Proofs of Debts; and in order to expedite the ſame all ſuch Creditors as have not already proved, are requeſted to apply, or ſend the Particulars of their Claim, to Mr. North, Southampton, Solicitor to the ſaid Commiſſion.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Hewlett, of the Pariſh of Walcot in the County of Somerſet, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 12th Day of May next, at Four in the Afternoon, on the 13th Day of the ſame Month, and on the 7th Day of June following, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Argyle Coffee-Houſe, in the Pariſh of Bathwick the ſaid County of Somerſet, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Clark or Mr. Taylor, Attornies, Bath, or Mr. Morton, Furnival's Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Fry, of Tottenham Court Road in the County of Middleſex, Hawker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th Day of April inſtant, on the 7th Day of May next, and on the 7th Day of June following, at Twelve at Noon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Sherwood, Canterbury-Square, Southwark.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Barker, of Lane End in the County of Stafford, Potter, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th Days of April inſtant, and on the 7th of June next, at Eleven in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Shakeſpear Tavern in Newcaſtle under Lyme, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Heath, Attorney, in Newcaſtle under Lyme aforeſaid, or to Edward Leigh, Eſq; Exchequer Office, Lincoln's Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Robert Bach, late of the City of Worceſter, Glover, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 17th of May next, and on the 7th of June following, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Crown Inn, in Broad-Street in the City of Worceſter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Mence, Attorney, Worceſter, or to Mr. Johnſton, Hall Staircaſe, Inner Temple, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Cheſhire, late of Manchester in the County of Lancaſter, Cotton-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th Day of April inſtant and 12th Day of May next, at the Queen's Head, in Bolton, in the ſaid County, and on the 7th Day of June following, at the Coach and Horſes, in Manchester aforeſaid, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon on each of the ſaid Days, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Threlfall, Attorney, of Little Bolton in the ſaid County, or to Richard and Robert Shawe, Solicitors, Tudor Street, Chatham-Place, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Davis, late of Wapping High-Street in the County of Middleſex, Man's Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th Day of May next, at One in the Afternoon, on the 14th of the ſame Month of May, and on the 7th Day of June following, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. J. and R. Willis, Warnford-Court, Throgmorton Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Antoine George Eckhardt, late of Sloane-Street, Chelſea, in the County of Middleſex, Paper-Stainer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d the 7th Days of May next, and on the 7th Day of June following, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Tyler and Humphreys, Dockhead, Southwark.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Frans Frederick Eckhardt, late of Sloane-Street, Chelſea, in the County of Middleſex, Paper-Stainer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 10th Days of May next, and on the 7th Day of June following, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Tyler and Humphreys, Dockhead, Southwark.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Dalton, of Surry-Square, in the Kent Road, in the County of Surry, Mariner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th Day of April inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to receive the Proof of a Debt under the ſaid Commiſſion.

THE Commiſſioners in a renewed Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Newton, late of Morpeth in the County of Northumberland, Money-Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of May next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Shakſpere Tavern, in Newcaſtle upon Tyne, in order to proceed to the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, in the Room of William Woodman, removed, purſuant to the Lord Chancellor's Order; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, and, with thoſe who have proved their Debts, vote in ſuch Choice accordingly.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Stone, late of Rutland-Place, Upper Thames-Street, London, Coal-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1ſt Day of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 23d Day of April inſtant) in order to take the laſt Examination of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where he is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, and, with thoſe who have proved their Debts, aſſent or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Banks, of Lower East Smithfield in the County of Middleſex, Haberdaſher, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 17th Day of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 25th Inſtant) in order to make a Final Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then ſubſtantiated will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Benjamin Skelton, late of Greenwich in the County of Kent, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then ſubſtantiated will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Hutchiſon Mure, Robert Mure, and William Mure, of Fenchurch-Street, London, Merchants and Copartners, intend to meet on the 15th Day of June next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſeparate Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Hutchiſon Mure and William Mure; when and where their ſeparate Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Simon Reynolds, of Dockhead, in the Pariſh of Bermondſey, in the County of Surry, Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of July next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Further Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Barrs and Samuel Barrs, both of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Linen-Drapers, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Shakeſpear Tavern, in New-Street, Birmingham aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Jacob Stanton, of Weybread in the County of Suffolk, Miller, intend to meet on the 24th Day of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Three Tuns Inn, in Bungay in the ſaid County, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Jeremiah Samuel Jordan, of Fleet-Street, London, Bookſeller, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 4th Day of June next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Ward, of the Minories in the City of London, Hoſier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 24th Day of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Samuel Shepherd, of Penrith in the County of Cumberland, Mercer and Draper, intend to meet on the 26th of May next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the New Crown Inn in Penrith aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then ſubſtantiated will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Bailey, Richard Smalley, and William Smalley, of Blackburn in the County of Lancaſter, Bankers and Copartners, alſo of Manchester in the County of Lancaſter aforeſaid, Manufacturers, and alſo of Lothbury in the City of London, Warehouſemen, Dealers and Chapmen, intend to meet on the 21ſt of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Further Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Ferris, of Pool in the County of Dorſet, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th Day of May next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Hantler, of North-Street, in the Pariſh of St. Mary-le-Bonne, in the County of Middleſex, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughboruogh, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid James Hantler hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 17th Day of May next.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Chriſtopher, of Hampton Court in the County of Middleſex, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid James Chriſtopher hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 17th Day of May next.

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